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Elba Clipper Honored For Service

Both THE ELBA CLIPPER and THE DAILY LEDGER of Enterprise received special awards last week for outstanding service in supporting the Heart Fund during the recent campaign. Pictured receiving the awards are from left: Mrs. Suzanne Perez, DAILY LEDGER and Ferrin Cox, ELBA CLIPPER. The framed awards were presented by Mrs. William B. Collier, co-chairman of the County Heart Fund.



New Books Now At Library

The Elba Public Library has received, from the Regional Library, a number of new books, both adult and juvenile.

The summer program for the library consists of a reading program sponsored by none other than "Smoky Bear". He is due for a visit in the very near future. This will be in grades two through six. Those reading 16 books during the program will receive a certificate as well as prizes.

Story Hour Programs will be held Tuesday and Thursday morning for pre-school children ages four through six. The story hour will be at 10 a.m. in the library. Watch for the starting date.

Admission is free and all youngsters in this age group are invited to attend.

Mrs. Dowling said the Story Hour will feature many good and exciting stories and there are a number of new books to choose from the reading program.

"Bear Farm" Land Cost \$7.46 Acre Right Here

The government called it a Land Utilization Project, but the workers called it Bear Farm because they heard a rumor that the government was going to stock it with bears. The area being referred to is 32,251 acres of partly depleted land in the western part of Dale County and the eastern part of Coffee County. Or what is better known today as the northern half of Ft. Rucker, Al.

In 1935 the Federal Government created the Pea River Cooperative Land Utilization Area, buying the 32,251 acres of land from local land owners for \$7.46 per acre.

In an effort to alleviate unemployment during the Depression years, President Franklin D. Roosevelt's New Deal and the Works Progress Administration (WPA) hired workers in 1935 to transform the land into a wildlife reservation.

One of the larger projects completed by the WPA workers was a dam built across Clay Bank Creek at the southern corner of the reservation. This created a huge lake covering more than 1,000 acres. A great number of people came from up to 400 miles away to witness the dedication and participate in the naming contest.

Mrs. Fanny Hutchinson of Enterprise, Al., won the \$10 prize for her suggested name, Lake Tholoco. Legend has it that Tholoco was the Indian name for General Sam Dale, a pioneer and Indian fighter, after whom Dale County was named.

The lake became a recreational spot for local people from its dedication in the late 1930's until World War II began in 1941 when the reservation was transferred from the Department of Agriculture to the War Department. In turn, more acreage was purchased to make up what is now Ft. Rucker and they began building the installation.

Today the historical Lake Tholoco is a recreational spot for many outdoor activities. It provides swimming, fishing, boating and skiing and has picnic and party facilities.

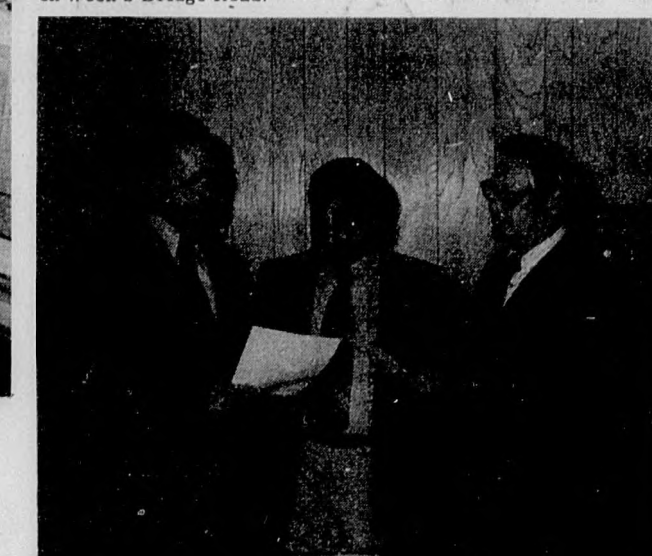
Bid Letting

Set June 28

For Bridge

Thirty-six construction or improvement projects involving 26 Alabama counties will be open to bids in Montgomery on June 28 by the State of Alabama Highway Department, Governor George C. Wallace said recently.

There is to be construction of county road bridges over Pea River approximately four miles east of Elba in Coffee County on Week's Bridge Road.



New OCAP Project Approved By Washington

Pobate Judge Sawyer, left, and Enterprise Mayor Donaldson accept thanks and copies of approval letter from Chairman of District 7 Human Resource Development Corporation. (Elba mayor unavailable for picture due to another meeting)



VICA Students Compete Nationally

"Students Sharing - Students Caring" is the theme that will be demonstrated during the 3-day national meeting in San Antonio, Texas of the Vocational Industrial Clubs of America (VICA). Nearly 1,000 VICA members are expected to be in San Antonio from June 8-13.

VICA is the national organization for students in trade, industrial, technical, and health education programs. There are 200,000 members nationwide in 48 states and territories.

A major event of the VICA meeting will be the U.S. Skill Olympics featuring competition in 22 trade and technical areas. Nearly 2,000 VICA members will take part, competing for recognition as the outstanding students nationally in their trade area. First, second, and third place will be awarded in most of the 22 areas to both high school and post-secondary students, who will compete in separate events.

The public is invited to watch some of the events, such as auto mechanics, bricklaying and carpentry, to be held in the San Antonio Assembly Center. Most contests will be held Tuesday, June 11 and will begin at 8:00 a.m. Most contest judges will represent the San Antonio industrial community.

The competing students have already won state honors for their skills. State and national VICA competitive events are held annually to bring recognition to trade, industrial, technical and health students and to promote trade and technical excellence in a competitive situation.

Contests to be held include: air conditioning and refrigeration, architectural drafting, auto body, auto mechanics, bricklaying, carpentry, commercial art, cosmetology, dental assistant, electrical trades, electronics, troubleshooting, graphic communications, machine shop, mechanical drafting, metalworking, nursing, and welding.

VICA members will also compete for honors in club business procedure, displays, extemporaneous speaking, prepared speech, job interview, opening and closing ceremonies, demonstration and safety. The outstanding VICA club national will be chosen. The leadership development contest such as public speaking and job interview encourage members to develop in leadership skills and in social confidence and poise.

Winners of all contests will receive two medallions (one for themselves and one for their schools) at the VICA Awards Banquet on Wednesday evening, June 12 at the San Antonio Assembly Center. The national winners will represent the United States in the International Olympics to be held in Lisbon, Portugal in August, 1974.

Three local Elba High School students will be competing this year in the National Skills Contest in VICA. They are: John Davis - Arc Welding; Cynth Maddox - Prepared Speech; Mark Jacobs - Offset Printing.

These students left Elba, Saturday, June 8, and will return to Elba on Thursday, June 13. They were accompanied by Mr. Donald Lawford and Mr. Charles Pearce, advisors, and Rachel Hudson as alternate delegate to the VICA convention.



Man Found Days After Shooting Death

About midnight last Saturday night relatives of Ezzy Robinson arrived at his home and found him dead of an apparent self-inflicted gunshot wound. He had been dead several days when discovered.

Robinson had been living alone for the past several months. Reportedly he and his wife were separated and she is living in Montgomery.

The home is on a farm on the right side of the Elba-Brantley highway, near the Crossbow County line. Coronor Charles Hayes, III ruled that Robinson had fired the trigger of his shotgun to a bedpost and gripping the barrel, snatched the weapon, shooting himself in the chest, just to the left of his heart. However, the concussion from the shot exploding into his body apparently ruptured the heart.

A television set in the room was still found on when the body was found.

First reports reaching the Elba Police Department indicated the man had just shot himself and a unit of the Elba Rescue Squad rushed to the scene. However, when the rescue volunteers discovered the situation they returned to Elba after assisting investigating officers where necessary.

Among those investigating the shooting were Coronor Hayes, Deputy Sheriffs Ray Norris and Dennis Hobbs, Highway Patrolman Ronnie Whitworth, Elba Policemen Hart, Armstrong and Ross. A representative of the State Toxicologist office also surveyed the scene before the body was removed by a local funeral home.

POLICE CRACK DOWN ON OFFENDERS

The Elba Police Department, with the encouragement and blessings of the City Council, will begin strictly enforcing the law at the local recreation center. Police Chief Jack Smart also has the permission of the city fathers to publish the names of those charged with violating the laws at the recreation center.

Following the City Council meeting last Tuesday night, Chief Smart released the following statement:

For some time now the City of Elba has been working toward creating recreational facilities that can be enjoyed by all. Through Federal grants the City has been able to achieve a measure of success in this direction. Since these recreational facilities are primarily utilized by the youth of the City, the City has for some time tried to cooperate with the youth in regard to certain offenses, with reference specifically to alcoholic beverages, profanity and destruction of property.

The City recognizes that this is a dry county and alcoholic beverages are prohibited. There are also laws governing profanity in public and destruction of property. The City recognizes that there will always be some who feel compelled to consume alcoholic beverages, use profanity and destroy property for whatever reason. However, in dealing with these offenses in the past the City has been what many considered to be lenient. An effort has been made when arrests were made to counsel those (particularly youths) involved without full prosecution under the law.

It appears now that unless the law is enforced that the recreation facilities of the City will be ruined by a few. While the City does not wish to appear harsh, it nevertheless feels compelled to protect the majority of its youth as well as older citizens from the disruptive effects of a few. The use of alcoholic beverage, profanity, and destruction of property has become so widespread that positive action must be taken.

Accordingly from this date the City will prosecute to the fullest extent under the law any and all charged with these offenses. Further in an effort to make parents aware of the problem a list of the disposition of cases made in the recreational areas and other troublesome areas will be publically published for the benefit that all may see the problem.

The City is most hopeful that those offenders who have created this problem will take heed and cease these activities with this warning.

Jack Smart
Chief of Police
Elba Police Department



Tom Casaday, County Extension Chairman

EQUINE INFECTIOUS ANEMIA

Dr. Lee Alley, Extension veterinarian at Auburn, sent a warning just recently about the dangers of equine infectious anemia. This is a disease recognized by horse owners, trainers and veterinarians throughout the nation as a most devastating and costly disease.

This disease most often appears in the summer when biting insects transmit the virus from one animal to another. I have a complete summary of the disease in my office, but I will mention the symptoms. First signs are intermittent fever, weight loss, progressive weakness and anemia of varying severity. The mortality rate is usually about fifty percent, but may approach one hundred percent in some areas.

There is a test which can determine whether or not a horse has this disease. No treatment is effective, neither is a vaccine available. Horses showing symptoms should be separated from other horses immediately and your veterinarian contacted.

Check with your veterinarian for additional ways to prevent this disease. One thing that everyone can do is to do an effective job possible in controlling flies and other insects throughout the season.

For a three-page leaflet that I have on this disease, write to me at P.O. Box 188, New Brockton, and I will send you a copy.

WEATHER One of the most frustrating things about being a county agent is worrying about the weather. Of course, it does not do any good.

For example, many communities in Coffee County and the Wiregrass have been hit by rain this week, but other areas have received only very light sprinkles.

I hate to see corn approaching the tasseling stage and wilting every afternoon for several days in a row. This is happening in many communities. Everything is all set for maximum production in those areas if we could just get a good soaking rain.

I talked with Bollen Day and his brother John Henry and their area in the McCaskey Store community south of Ashburn has been dry during the summer for the past two or three years. They are starting out fairly dry again this year. If we can get some good rains throughout the county within the next week or 10 days, we should make a good corn crop. Of course, it will take additional rain in the summer for peanuts, but we will worry about the corn first and the peanuts next.

MARKET HOG SHOW Greg Mills of Elba, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mills, showed the Grand Champion pig at the Coffee County Market Hog Show. I watched him.

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at the show Thursday afternoon and his pigs were trained better than any other pigs in the show. He could make his pig stand still for several minutes in a show position. This took a lot of work on his part. His Dad says that he almost spends too much time training his pigs to walk and stand to show off at the best advantage.

The market hog show is increasing each year in the number of boys and girls participating, the number of animals shown, and certainly in the quality of the hogs exhibited. The show was sponsored by the Coffee County Hog Producers Association, the Coffee County Farm Bureau, and the State Department of Agriculture and Industries.

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USDA Announces 1974 Peanut Support Program

The USDA announced the minimum national average support level as \$358.50 per ton and other major program provisions for 1974-crop peanuts. The new minimum support level represents 75 percent of the peanut parity price for May 1974. The support level for 1973-crop peanuts was \$328.50 per ton.

The 1974 Peanut Program differs from the 1973 Program in that:

(1) Peanuts found to contain visible Aspergillus Flavus mold will be ineligible for support.

(2) The charges assumed by producers for storage, handling and inspection will be increased from \$15 to \$17 per ton.

(3) CCC's minimum sales policy for diversion sales will be 100 percent of the loan level.

The Agricultural Act of 1949 provides for peanut support at a level between 75 and 90 percent of parity depending on the percentage which the total supply of peanuts is in relation to the normal supply at the beginning of the marketing year. This announcement is in accordance with "Forward Pricing" provisions of legislation providing for such determination in advance of the planting season.

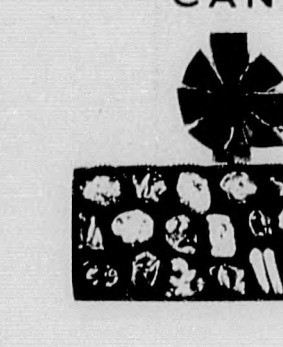
The national average support level will not be less than \$358.50 but will be adjusted upward at the beginning of the marketing year August 1, 1974, if at that time a combination of the parity price and the supply percentage results in a higher legal minimum support level.

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Sports

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Windham Power Lifts Boast 9-3 Record

SEC Champion Tennessee built up a big lead Saturday, then had to hold off a charge by UCLA to win their first national track championship in the history.

With Tennessee owning a four point lead, it all boiled down to the tight finish, the night's final event. The Bruin entry had to finish third to tie Tennessee, and second to give UCLA the win, but the tracker faltered to finish fifth.

Troy State's Charles O'Neil finished fifth in the 400 yards to finish his sophomore year. The Troy runner is one of the top tracksters in the nation, and is considered an Olympic prospect.

NFL Commissioner Pete Rozelle has announced that in 1975 the NFL will add two new teams, bringing the league membership to 28.

The commissioner also announced that the league franchises were Tampa, Fla. and Seattle, Wash. Both teams are scheduled to field a team in 1976, although Rozelle hinted the timetable could be moved up one year. The two cities paid the NFL \$16 million dollars each for the franchises.

The commissioner also hinted that future expansion might follow quickly, possibly in Europe, forcing a showdown with the fledgling NFL.

David Bowden, Florida's starting quarterback in 1972 and 1973 has announced he will not play this fall. It was reported that Bowden has had difficulties with his coach Doug Dicke, but Bowden refused to state his reason for quitting.

When the world's top golfers tee off today (Thursday) in the U.S. Open, included in the elite field will be Greenville amateur Phillip Hancock.

Phillip has been one of south Alabama's top amateur golfers for several years and is currently a member of the University of Florida's golf team. The "Gator" golfers are the No. 1 ranked team in the nation.

Phillip made the field by finishing a 72-67-139 in final qualifying in Atlanta.

The league will now re-examine the punting situation and announce a definite rule before the start of the season.

Earlier this year, townsmen voted that no player on the punting team could run downfield until the ball was kicked. After the new method was tried in practice, it was discovered that the man covering the punt wasn't able to get within 12-13 yards of the return specialist.

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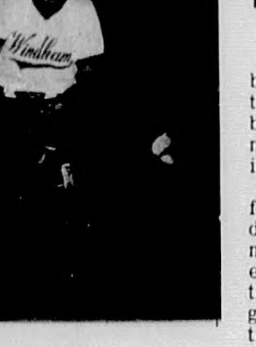
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CLARK HONORED ON RETIREMENT

JOE CLARK, first sergeant and AST of the New Brockton Company B 1203d Engineer Battalion (Topo) (Army) retired May 31st after 33 years of active National Guard and Army military service. He was among the organizing members of the New Brockton National Guard Unit where he served as first sergeant for 17 years. Originally from Elba but presently living in New Brockton, SGT. Clark worked as a full time employee of the unit as AST.

During a dinner in Clark's honor held at the Elba Country Club, Captain Wayne Grantham, Commanding Officer of the New Brockton National Guard Unit, presented him with an engraved watch. Pictured with Clark are (l-r): Capt. Grantham, Sgt. Clark and wife, Hazel; son, Joe, Jr. and daughter, Sherrie.

Flood Insurance Is Available

Residents of the City of Elba may now be eligible to purchase flood insurance coverage through the regular program of the Federal Insurance Administration of the U. S. Department of Housing and Urban Development. This insurance is available at federally subsidized rates on homes, farm buildings, apartment buildings, business structures, agricultural, religious and non profit buildings and those owned by State or local government agencies.

The agency of State government which serves as Coordinator between your community and the Federal government on flood insurance is the Alabama Development Office of State Planning, State Office Building, 501 Dexter Avenue, Montgomery, AL 36104.

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The Commission meets each second and fourth Monday of the month. They meet for three months in Enterprise and then the next three months in Elba.

The following business was conducted:

Bids were opened for photographic equipment for the Police Academy. The bid was awarded to Van's Industrial & Professional Co. in Mobile, AL. The bid was \$2,466.40. The bid was accepted by J. A. Dyess and seconded by J. A. Dyess.

The Chief of Police from New Brockton came before the Commissioners to ask that a small pen be built for holding stray dogs until something could be done about them. No action was taken.

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The money to finance this program comes from the Federal government and the Summer Youth Program is one of the priority programs which the District VII Cooperative Area Manpower Planning Committee placed priority on Dr. Wallace Miller of Enterprise and Mr. James McLain of Mobile serve as co-chairmen of the District VII Committee.

Youth will be authorized to work 240 hours each during the summer and will be paid \$2.00 per hour in accordance with the new minimum wage rate. The program will give meaningful work experience and obtain needed earnings to return to school in the fall. It will also aid the state, counties, and various agencies with additional personnel to get things done that normal budgets would not allow. The operation of this program, if all slots are filled, will bring to the District \$634,732.00.

The distribution of jobs to each county was made on the criteria of the number of youth in each county between the ages of 14 and 22 and the poverty level of the county.

COFFEE COUNTY
Coffee County has been authorized 43 slots to aid in county work, according to Mr. Winner Ezell, the Commissioners Court Office. Mr. Ezell said that there are four categories which a youth could qualify under. These are, welfare, lower income, low income and miscellaneous. Welfare youth are given priority over the other categories.

ELBA SCHOOLS
The City Schools have been authorized 13 slots. At the present time eight of the slots have been filled, four females and four males. The females are assisting in the office or as aides for the summer school program. The males are helping with the cleaning, moving of the grass, etc.

On this program, the office or agency that the youth works for is responsible for supervising their work and keeping a time sheet on them. Their time is then turned into the State and the State pays the youth for their work.

Anyone interested in working under the National Youth Council program is urged to contact the Enterprise office of Alabama State Employment and ask for Mr. Simmons.

Legion To Hold "Dutch Treat"

The American Legion and Auxiliary Chapter will hold a "Dutch Treat" Steak Supper at the Legion Home on the Troy Highway, on Saturday, June 29th, at 8:00 p.m. Reservations may be made by calling the Post Adjutant, Hollman Taylor, at 897-2824, by Not Later Than 5:00 P.M. June 27. All members and guests are encouraged to attend. The cost of the meal will be \$2.00 each.

Bill Bruce Is New Principal At Elementary

Mr. Bill Bruce has been employed by the Elba City Board of Education to serve as principal of the Elba Elementary School. Prior to his coming to Elba, Mr. Bruce was principal of the Roanoke Elementary School in Roanoke, Alabama for the past three years and has taught in the Troy City and Daleville City schools.

Mr. Bruce has a B. S. Degree from Troy State University and Masters Degree in School Administration from Auburn University. He is currently enrolled at Auburn University and will receive his AA certificate in School Administration at the end of the summer quarter.

Bill is married to the former Bebe Martin of Enterprise, Alabama and they have three daughters, Bebe, Beverly and Mary. They plan to move to Elba sometime during the summer.

Sherry Fleming is shown as she works in the Commissioner's Office. A Junior at Kinston High School next year, Sherry is working through the National Youth Council Program this summer.

OSHA Is Subject Of 2 Seminars

The Dothan-Houston County Chamber of Commerce announces that the National Safety Council will conduct two seminars on the Occupational Safety and Health Act of 1970. These seminars will be presented on June 27 and 28, 1974 in the Community Room, Northside Mall, Dothan, beginning at 8:45 a.m. each day.

On Thursday, June 27 a one-day seminar on Trenching and Excavation will interest those employers who have trenching operations. Subjects to be discussed will include: the need for safety standards; the problems in trenching and excavation operations; backfilling and compaction; the responsibility and its fulfillment and other criteria.

Friday, June 28, a one-day seminar on Safety and Health Programming will be presented. A few of the subjects covered will include: employer's responsibility for the program; identifying standards for compliance; developing inspection procedures and checklists; accident record analysis and safety program evaluation, etc.

Both courses are being presented at NO CHARGE for those attending. Enrollment is on a first-come, first-served basis. For enrollment, mail your reservations to: Registrar, OSHA Training, Greater Mobile Safety Council, 253 Bay Front Drive, Mobile, Alabama 36605 or call the Dothan-Houston County Chamber of Commerce at 792-5138.

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